Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Kay Watkins has dedicated the past 47 years to serving the health needs of area residents at the Marshall County Memorial Hospital in Britton, South Dakota, and will retire on May 15, 2010; and,

Whereas, Kay graduated from Britton High School in May 1961 and Northwestern School of Medical Technology in Minneapolis, Minnesota, in 1962; and,

Whereas, Kay was exceptional in her duties as an X-ray and Medical Technician, as well as, Manager of the Laboratory and Radiology Department at Marshall County Memorial Hospital; and,

Whereas, Kay's retirement will allow her to go fishing and garden, and enjoy more time with her husband, Robert, and children, Steve, Melissa, and Jennifer, and their families at the Roy Lake cabin; and,

Whereas, Kay's experience and dedication to delivering health services are impressive and will be greatly missed; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper to honor this outstanding South Dakotan on the occasion of her retirement:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 15, 2010, as

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in South Dakota, and I join her many friends and colleagues in offering her best wishes for an enjoyable retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Third Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Ten.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State